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Senate Resolution 1021

By: Senators Harp of the 29th, Zamarripa of the 36th and Fort of the 39th

## A RESOLUTION

- 1 Commending University System of Georgia Outstanding Scholar Ava Katherine Ward of
- 2 Georgia State University on Academic Recognition Day for 2006; and for other purposes.
- 3 WHEREAS, Georgia's educational system is dedicated to the goal of providing a quality
- 4 education to all and fostering the realization of each person's fullest potential; and
- 5 WHEREAS, the 35 institutions of the University System of Georgia are valuable resources
- 6 for the people of this state, enhancing the intellectual, economic, social, civic, and cultural
- 7 well-being of the communities in which they are located and the entire state; and
- 8 WHEREAS, Academic Recognition Day was begun in 1987 as a celebration of individual
- 9 academic achievement and recognition of those students who exemplify that which is best
- 10 about the University System of Georgia and its institutions: inspired and dedicated teaching
- and excellence in learning; and
- 12 WHEREAS, Ava Katherine Ward, a scholar from Georgia State University, represents
- 13 excellence in academic achievement and personal development.
- 14 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that University System of
- 15 Georgia Outstanding Scholar Ava Katherine Ward is commended for superb achievements
- in education and selection as a representative of Georgia State University on the occasion of
- 17 Academic Recognition Day for 2006.
- 18 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
- 19 to transmit appropriate copies of this resolution to Honorable Erroll B. Davis, Jr., Chancellor,
- 20 University System of Georgia; J. Timothy Shelnut, Chairman, Board of Regents of the
- 21 University System of Georgia; and Ava Katherine Ward.